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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
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TITLE OF INVENTION: MACHINE FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A FIBER MATERIAL WEB

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

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3. [X] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
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5. [X] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))
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6. [ ] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).
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   b. [ ] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. [X] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
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   d. [X] have not been made and will not be made.
8. [ ] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
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10. [ ] An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).

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11. [X] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. [ ] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. [X] A preliminary amendment.
14. [ ] An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15. [ ] A substitute specification.
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